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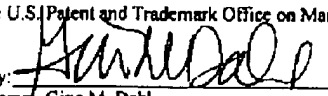
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Title:	METHOD OF MEASURING HEMATOCRIT (HCT), SENSOR USED IN THE METHOD, AND MEASURING DEVICE		

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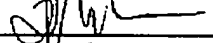
Dear Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a two-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action mailed September 28, 2009, said period of response being extended from December 28, 2009 to February 28, 2010 (Sunday).

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